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Uplake Development Concept Plan Public Comment Period Extended

Page, AZ – The National Park Service is extending the public comment period on the Uplake Development Concept Plan/Environmental Assessment to September 8, 2006. This plan will guide future development in the "uplake" areas of Glen Canyon National Recreation Area, including Bullfrog, Halls Crossing, and Hite.

The draft Uplake DCP proposes a range of alternatives to provide for future visitor access at varying Lake Powell water levels and to address changes in visitor services, visitation levels, and visitor expectations. The plan also ensures the protection of park resources and values.

The draft DCP and EA can be obtained online at: *parkplanning.nps.gov/glca*. Printed copies are available for review at regional public libraries in Utah and Arizona, the Bullfrog Visitor Center, park headquarters in Page, and at tribal government offices in Arizona, Utah, and New Mexico. A limited number of printed copies or electronic copies on compact disc are available by contacting the National Park Service at 928-608-6337.

Comments may be submitted electronically by visiting *parkplanning.nps.gov/glca* or by mail to: Draft Uplake DCP/EA, Glen Canyon National Recreation Area, P.O. Box 1507, Page, Arizona 86040. It is the practice of the NPS to make all comments, including names and addresses of respondents who provide that information, available for public review following the conclusion of the environmental assessment process.

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